

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Docket Number (Optional) HO-P03493US0
In re Application of Mrugesh Shah		
Application Number 10/776,711-Conf. #3444		Filed February 12, 2004
For Microbiological Method for Producing Petroleum Hydrocarbons from Solid Fossil Fuels Oil Tars and Products of Biological		
Art Unit 1637		Examiner M. Staples

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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